

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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First Named Applicant: Mark L. Lawrence  
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BACTERIAL VACCINE BY ALTERATION OF DNA  
ADENINE METHYLASE (DAM) ACTIVITY IN THOSE  
BACTERIA

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Petition for One Month Extension of Time;
2. Response to Office Action Mailed January 30, 2009;
3. Exhibit A; and
4. Exhibit B.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee due or credit any over payment in connection with this paper to our Deposit Account No. 50-0858.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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